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SUBJ: AUSTRIAN FOREIGN MINISTER TO UAE, OMAN, QATAR, TUNISIA

1. AUSTRIAN FOREIGN MINISTER ERICH BIELKA WILL MAKE OFFICIAL VISITS IN EARLY MARCH TO QATAR (6-8), UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (8-11), AND OMAN (11-15). BIELKA WILL GO TO TUNISIA MARCH 19-21 IN CONNECTION WITH 20TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF TUNISIAN INDEPENDENCE.

2. VISITS ARE PART OF CONTINUING AUSTRIAN EFFORT ON BOTH GOVERNMENT AND SOCIALIST PARTY LEVELS (AS IN CHANCELLOR KREISKY'S FACT-FINDING MISSIONS TO ARAB STATES ON BEHALF OF SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL) TO CONTRIBUTE TO EXPANSION OF CONTACTS WITH ARABS AND, MORE PARTICULARLY, TO PROTECT AUSTRIA'S INTERESTS IN ARAB WORLD, I.E. MAINTENANCE OF OPEC HEADQUARTERS IN VIENNA AND MAXIMUM ACCESS TO ARAB MARKETS AND PETRO-DOLLARS.BUCHANAN

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